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Wednesday, October 24th.

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GEORGE B. HENWOOD,
Deputy Attorney General.

Town Council's Inaugural

The Town Council held its inaugural meeting last week, with Mayor Wight in the chair, and all the Councillors present.

The following committees were appointed for the ensuing year—

Roads—H Miller and H Oppertshauser.

Building—Dr Oatway and G Zucht.

Lighting—A Michael, O G Wudel.

Board of Health — J F Clarke (Secretary), M S Moyer, J H Lory, and Dr Oatway (M.O.H.).

The Liquor Act Again

Distribution and sale of all bottled beer thru Government vendors' stores is proposed in amendments to the Alberta Liquor Act brought down in the Legislature last week.

The proposed changes are rather drastic, and if adopted will be the most important changes in liquor regulations since the Act came into force in 1924.

Under the proposed new regulations thirsty citizens will be compelled to call at the Vendor's store and sign a form before the purchase of bottled beer will be in order; or they will have to obtain and send in a Government form which will permit the purchase and delivery of beer.

However, it is generally understood that the Government does not intend to embark at once in the beer business. The bill introduced merely provides the machinery.

Should the Government wish eventually to take over the distribution and sale of bottled beer, everything will be in readiness, always providing the Legislative Assembly passes the measure now before it.

LOCAL NEWS.

Pastor F H Mueller, who has been in charge of the Lutheran church at Blueberry for a number of years, has accepted a call to a church in Minnesota, and left last week to assume his new duties.

It is expected that Mr Michael will have recovered sufficiently from his recent operation to return, this week, to his home in Stony.

Mrs Elizabeth Goerz has purchased the Peter Odenbach house and four-acre plot near the White elevator, and will shortly take up her residence there, with her family.

Mr Henry H Miller, who has resided on the Meridian road, opposite the Experimental Farm for a number of years, is moving back to his farm in the spring, and has his town house on the market.

Mr John R Schlitt is leaving, shortly, on a trip thru the Pouce Coupe country. The elder Mr Schlitt intends moving in to Stony town.

A meeting of the members of Stony Plain U.F.A. Local was held Saturday night, which was presided over by Mr R C Propp.

The financial statement of the town of Stony Plain for the year 1927 is printed on page six. A perusal of it by residents of Stony should prove interesting.

While helping run a sawing outfit last week, on the farm of Mr Jac Urshel, John Namniazeff had the misfortune to have his left hand severely cut with the buzz saw. Corp Moses, who happened to be present, gave first aid to the injured.

A well-attended whist drive and dance was held Friday evening last, in the Blueberry Schoolhouse, by the Community Club.

Mr John B Hodgson of the Bright Bank district, will hold a public sale Tuesday next, March 6, of his stock and machinery.

On Sunday, Feb. 26, to the wife of Mr Karl Strass, twin girls.

If your eyes bother you, or you suffer from headaches, why not have your eyes attended to by an expert? M M Mecklenburg, eye specialist, will be in Stony Plain on Friday, March 9th.

Hockey Notes.

The Senior hockey team motored to Duffield Sunday afternoon last. As the bunch had made up their minds to have at least one winning game to their credit before the season closed, this looked like their opportunity to make good, and put up the best they had, so took up their best men to battle with Mr Pidgeon's team. After the usual period of play, Duffield team had scored 3 goals to Stony's 2.

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The Water Powers Of Canada

In the "forward look" which is now almost universally characteristic of the Canadian people regarding their Dominion, and which offers such a sharp contrast to the less optimistic,—in fact the rather pessimistic,—view entertained a comparatively few short years ago, the subject of power, and power development schemes, looms very large, coupled with the question of improved and cheaper means of transportation which has always bulked largely in the national policies of the country.

The development of power through the generation and application of steam made the nineteenth century noteworthy, and introduced the age of machinery in the work of production as contrasted with the old methods of handwork and manual labor. The closing years of the last century saw the beginnings of the development of power through electrical energy, largely developed through the primary utilization of steam. The internal combustion gasoline and oil engines also had their beginning.

During the first quarter of the present century development of electrical energy, and of internal combustion engines, proceeded with amazing rapidity, particular attention being paid to the harnessing of water-powers throughout the world for the production of electrical energy in its cheapest form and in enormous quantities, until it is now recognized that those countries possessing ample water-powers, and those natural resources that are the basic requirements in manufactures, are, and will to an ever increasing extent be, the great industrial nations of the world.

In extent, variety, and wealth of natural resources required in manufactures, and in the magnitude of its available water-powers within reasonable distance of such resources, Canada is probably the richest country in the known world, and the development of its water-powers for use, and the consequent utilization of its natural resources, is going ahead by leaps and bounds. The value of these water-powers and resources are only beginning to be fully realized by the people as a whole, and what they may be made to mean in the future of the Dominion.

Men of wealth, captains of industry, financial magnates, are alive to the importance of these great sources of potential wealth. They realize they are the foundations upon which great enterprises and an abounding prosperity can be built. As a result a scramble, a struggle, for possession and control of water-powers is in progress, and it behooves the people of Canada to give close attention and deep study to the many issues involved.

Naturally two schools of thought have arisen as to the policy which should be followed in relation to possession, development and control of water-powers, one advocating retention by the Government, whether Federal or Provincial, and development and ownership by such authority as a matter of public policy; the other strongly urging private ownership, development and control. It is argued, probably with truth, that development will be more rapid through the investment of private capital than can possibly be expected if left solely to Governments. It is further argued that, through the retention of a large measure of Government control over operations and rates, the interests of the public and the country at large can be protected.

Advocates of complete Government ownership, on the other hand, contend that these water-powers are the property of and an asset to the whole country, and should not be alienated; that these water-powers will run on forever and not be dissipated or exhausted as other resources may be; that, even granting that development might be more rapid under private ownership and greater initiative shown through the investment of private capital, the Canadian people will be well advised to take the longer look into the future of their country and protect that future by retaining complete possession and direct control of these sources of industrial greatness and national wealth and prosperity.

Ontario is practically committed to the policy of public ownership; Quebec, on the other hand, has followed the policy of development through private investment. Manitoba has both public and private development schemes under way. Saskatchewan has a Power Commission studying the whole subject. Manitoba and Alberta are both striving to obtain control of certain water-powers, title to which now rests with the Federal authorities. And looming over all is the great issue of development and control of the huge powers along the St. Lawrence and Ottawa Rivers.

This whole subject is so vitally important to the future of Canada it is well that all citizens should give earnest and careful consideration to it, and not be stampeded by private interests or by political catch-cries into either approval or condemnation of any policy now presented until it has been most thoroughly examined and demonstrated to be sound and wise, or, on the other hand, inimical to the country's best interests.

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Mr. T. B. Macauley, president of the Sun Life Assurance Co., who recently celebrated his fiftieth year of continuous service.

Extraordinary Expansion Of Sun Life Assurance

Business Has Doubled On An Average Every Five Or Six Years

The extraordinary expansion of the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada during the last few years has caused its annual report to be awaited with unusual interest, not only by the policyholders of the Company, but by a large section of the general public.

Perhaps a sentimental interest attached to this expectation this year, because the President, Mr. T. B. Macaulay, in October celebrated his fiftieth year of continuous service, and it was known that the world-wide organization of the Sun Life Company had determined to specially honor his jubilee with an outstanding tribute in the form of increased business.

Having in view the fact that the Company's business has doubled on an average every five or six years since it was organized, it would appear rather difficult to outdo previous records. But the annual report which the President has just submitted, and which appears in this issue, must have surpassed the expectations of the most sanguine. The total amount of assurances in force with the Company now approaches the billion and a half figure, $1,487,000,000, an increase for the year of over $231,500,000. The total net income for the year exceeded $100,000,000—five times what it was ten years ago, and more than $23,000,000 in excess of the income for the previous year.

The outstanding position of the Sun Life Company in the assurance world is not confined to Canada. Such statistics as are available for 1927 indicate that the aggregate new business of all the companies operating in North America last year barely exceeds the total new business of the previous year. The increase in the new business of the Sun Life of Canada, on the other hand, was twenty-three per cent. Assurances in force on the books of the Company have doubled in four years—new business has trebled in that period.

This wonderful expansion has been paralleled by a great increase in the already proverbial strength and resources of the Company. The assets have been increased by over $56,000,000, and now reach the impressive total of over $400,000,000. The Company's assets approximate the amount of the total assurances in force only eight years ago.

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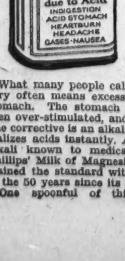
Was a Fast Worker

With lightning speed a "cat" burglar ransacked a room in an Esher Hotel and escaped with jewellery worth £250. In three minutes the thief climbed through a second-floor window; ransacked a wardrobe, portmanteau and a chest of drawers, and escaped down the stackpipe.

Many a man who is fancy free does not fancy his freedom.



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Canada Indebted To The Mother Country For Vast Sums Spent On Protection

No more formidable business confronts Canada than the preparation and completion of a proper cadastral survey of the Dominion on the lines of the famous Ordnance Survey of the Motherland. The extent of the undertaking can be gauged from the remark passed by President Cantley at the convention of National Surveyors in Toronto the other day, that a vast proportion of Canada remains to be explored and surveyed. Practically only one-quarter of the area of the country has been anything like properly mapped. Even where mapping is supposed to have been done, much of it is conjectural and depends more or less on disconnected journeys, traders' and trappers' reports, information obtained from natives, and the like. When the time taken to map the comparatively limited area of the British Isles is considered, some idea can be obtained of the magnitude of the job ahead of Canada, even with all the resources at command of modern discovery and invention. Nor should the wonderful resources that, in all probability, lie hidden in these unknown and unexplored regions be forgotten.

President Cantley's statement has suggested another train of thought to the Kingston Whig-Standard and prompts it to ask: How much do Canadians, or some of them, remember of the part that the Motherland had in obtaining this great Canada of ours? Do we lose sight of this in the prosperity of the present? We remember, the Kingston paper says, that some few years ago this question cropped up in the Dominion House, and one member went so far as to say, "I say this claim of our honorable friend opposite that we are greatly indebted to Great Britain is a fallacy which cannot be supported by fact. As a Canadian, I wish to say that in a material sense we are not indebted to Great Britain for anything, and in no sense is Canada indebted to her for more than goodwill and filial affection."

The next speaker, however, was better informed and said: "We have always had the protection of the greatest sea power on the earth. Between 1852 and 1902 Great Britain spent $85,000,000 on military expenditure in this country. Go back 100 years and you will find that she spent $170,000,000 in addition, making a total of $255,000,000 in 150 years. Then she spent $35,000,000 in the citadel and public works in the city of Quebec, and $81,000,000 on our canals. Again she spent $56,000,000 on all kinds of works in all parts of this country. And I want you to remember that I am not taking into consideration the war of 1775, or the public works on which enormous sums were spent in 1778, at Montreal, Toronto, Halifax, St. John, Kingston, St. Levis and many other places, I am not taking into consideration the war of 1812, which lasted, so far as the British taxpayer is concerned, from 1811 to 1815, and I could go on as to what she expended on roads and bridges in this country. The expenditure of the Treasury of Great Britain on our railways and public works would reach over £1,000,000,000. Therefore, when I hear the honorable member say that we do not owe Great Britain anything, I cannot understand how he can make such a statement, so utterly unfounded on facts."

Perhaps the Motherland is entitled to some little praise in "This Great Canada of Ours."

British Comment On Budget

"When an Englishman reads the Canadian budget which provides for a reduction in taxation of nearly £4,000,000 including a ten per cent. cut in the income tax, he smiles, as one says, on the wrong side of his face," comments The Evening Standard. "Not that he grudges Canadians their good fortune, though he may perhaps envy their Finance Minister, but because he sees here a principle practiced in every country but his own. This principle is simply that public expenditure is to be kept within the strictest limits the country's needs allow."

Turnips For Beef Cattle

More Suitable For Fattening Purposes Than Mangles

When roots are fed to beef cattle turnips should be used as, according to a new Dominion Experimental Farms bulletin on "Growing and Feeding Field Roots," they are more suitable for fattening purposes than mangels. The latter are better suited for milk production. Results of tests at different experimental stations show that turnips have a high value when fed to beef cattle, especially when no other succulent food, such as silage, is available. When pulped and mixed with cut or chaffed straw or poor quality hay they very much improve the palatability and quality of these coarse roughages. The bulletin, which gives a great deal of information on the cultivation of roots, may be obtained from the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Extend Work Of Travelling Clinics

The travelling clinics introduced by the Provincial Department of Health, consisting of three nurses, two doctors and a dentist, to visit rural districts in Northern Alberta, have been so successful that it is proposed to extend this work to cover the entire province.

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Recalls Haig's Visit To Jasper

Officially Opened Golf Course Two Years Ago

The news of Earl Haig's death, which was heard with sorrow throughout the British Empire, recalls to Canadians the visit the famous soldier paid to Canada two years ago. And this brings to mind the fact that it was Earl Haig who, on July 17, 1925, officially opened the Jasper Park golf course. Accompanied by Lady Haig, Brigadier-General J. A. Elair, Brigadier-General A. F. Home, Mr. Walter Pratt, General Manager, Canadian National Railways' Hotels, Mr. Stanley Thompson, the architect who laid out the course, and Col. Maynard Rogers, who was then superintendent of Jasper National Park, the Field Marshal inspected a group of mountain guides and park rangers and the crew manning the dining car of his train and then strolled on to the course and drove off the first ball.

The inspection, which took place on the road leading into Jasper Park Lodge, was unique in that most of the rangers and guides had ridden from 50 to 100 miles to meet the Field Marshal, and they were picturesque in the colorful frontier costumes. They were headed by Major Fred. Brewster, M.C. The great soldier addressed the men, who were all veterans, and told them how he was much touched that they considered it worth while to ride so far to meet him. He was presented with a pair of buffalo-hair chaps, and Lady Haig received a beautiful pair of Indian worked buckskin gauntlets.

Earl Haig, as might be expected, since he was at one time Captain of the Royal and Aanclent Golf Club of St. Andrews, proved himself an exceptionally good player. His drives were long and always straight down the fairway and his work on the greens steady, with the result that he and Mr. Thompson, his partner, won, three up, against Brigadier-Generals Elair and Home. At the conclusion of the game, the Field Marshal expressed to Mr. Thompson his surprise at the manner in which the course had been hewed out of the mountainside and put in good shape in such a short time. He was delighted with the beauty of the mountain surroundings and he gave it as his opinion that the Jasper course would rank among the best in the world.

Menace Of the Future

Because an average automobile uses up 100 times as much air as a human being and emits 400 times as much carbon dioxide, it is prophesied that in the future congested population centres will bar them in the interest of public health and all transportation will be by electric power instead.

The widow's recovery from her grief sometimes depends upon the promptness of the life insurance company.

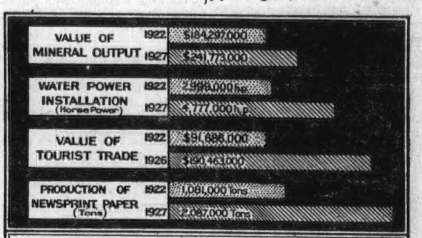
A heart full of grace is better than a head full of notions.

Many Factors Responsible For High Level Of Prosperity Enjoyed By Canada To-Day

Seldom has Canada's business outlook shown such a volte-face as has occurred in the last few years. Six years ago the Dominion struggled in the depths of depression. Today prosperity is at a high level, and the year 1927 has been authoritatively labelled as "the most expansive year in business enterprise that this country has ever known."

Many factors have had a hand in this about-turn—the improvement of sources and to speed up the return to prosperity by the creation of new industries, new production and new trade.

Much has been said of the extent of Canada's resources but it has probably been their variety, as distinct from their sheer extent, that has stood the country in greatest stead. New development has been versatile and widely diffused, not confined to one or two lines. And Canadian business has enjoyed a great, emulative stream of



FOUR FEATURES OF DEVELOPMENT PROGRESS 1922 - 1927

world conditions; the series of good crop years; the re-adjustment of prices; the capacity shown by the Canadian people in the face of adversity.

But, back of all these, the Dominion's business recovery has had the inestimable benefit of one special advantage. The Canadian people have been in the fortunate position of possessing a country with great undeveloped resources. They have not, in the same degree as the people of older countries, been compelled to wait and rely upon the revival of old-established industry and trade. They have been able to turn to undeveloped resources in fresh strength drawn from many different sources—from growth in forest industry, in water-power development, in mining, and in tourist trade which is largely attributable to the Dominion's scenic and other recreational resources.

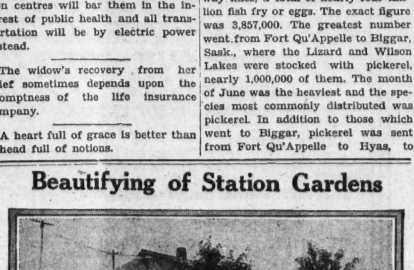
While the comparative figures, for 1922 and 1927, of mining output, installed water-power, newsprint production and tourist revenue cover only four fields, they serve at least to suggest what a powerful and versatile impetus Canadian business has derived in the last few years from the extension of natural resources development.

Sport For the Angler

Four Million Fish Eggs To Stock Lakes Of Western Canada

Last year, between June and September, the fish culture branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, shipped, over Canadian National Railway lines, a total of nearly four million fish fry or eggs. The exact figure was 3,857,000. The greatest number went from Fort Qu'Appelle to Biggar, Sask., where the Lizard and Wilson Lakes were stocked with pickerel, nearly 1,000,000 of them. The month of June was the heaviest and the species most commonly distributed was pickerel. In addition to those which went to Biggar, pickerel was sent from Fort Qu'Appelle to Hyas, to stock the Lady and Elbow Lakes, and from Winnipeg to Kamsack, Ninette, Roblin, Erickson, Glenora, and Angusville, for Madge, Pelican, Mitchell, Clear, Rock, Fish and Goose Lakes. In June, Kamloops sent Chilliwack for Cultus Lake, 40,000 Kamloops trout, and Prince Rupert sent 100,000 of the same species to Smithers for Lake Kathlyn. Rainbow trout went from Calgary to Edson, for distribution in the waters of Sundance, Hornback, Trout, Wolf and Edson Lakes. Fort Qu'Appelle sent two shipments of salmon trout to North Battleford, a total of more than 200,000 eggs. Brown trout and cut throat trout were shipped to Jasper, Milnes Landing and Colwood, from Calgary and Cowichan Lake. In July the only shipment made was 15,000 rainbow trout, from Calgary to Peers for Carrot Creek. August was given over entirely to perch and with one exception (Regina), the eggs were sent from Fort u'Appelle. The odd thing was that while some of the Qu'Appelle shipments went to Regina, the one Regina shipment was for Fort Qu'Appelle. Most of the perch were for Saskatchewan lakes. In September, Fort Qu'Appelle sent 1,750 perch fry to Sonderman and York Lakes, the only shipment in that month.

Beautifying of Station Gardens

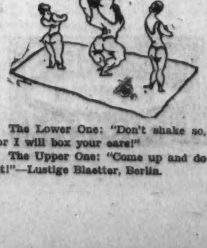


Buried under the white shroud of winter at its depth, the station grounds, right-of-way and surroundings of Canadian Pacific Railway lines give no promise at this time of year of the beauty of color, perfume and flower adornment that will feature them in a few months.

The horticultural department of the railroad, will during the next few weeks, distribute to its agents, section foremen and others for planting, several thousand seeds. At selected points special packets will be sent for growth under glass, thus producing an earlier display. Additions are to be made this spring as usual, to the stock of trees, shrubs and perennial plants which form the permanent basis of C.P.R. gardens.

In the territory north of Lake Superior, where a particularly hardy plant is desirable, the bulk of the display will be made by pansies. By far the greater part of the garden work is done in the spare time of the station agents, from the motive for love of gardening, pride in their surroundings and in competition for the numerous prizes offered for displays. Approximately 1,500 gardens are now maintained.

After having given more than 60 years of her life to agriculture a French woman was awarded the Cross of the Legion.



The Lower One: "Don't shake so, or I will box your ears!"
The Upper One: "Come up and do it!"—Lustige Blaetter, Berlin.

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ORIGIN OF TERM "ORANGE PEKOE"

Thousands of people every day read of and ask for "Orange Pekoe" tea, yet rarely know what this term means. Mr. Spalding Black, of the Salada Tea Co., gives the following information on the subject:

"At one time China produced practically all the tea used in the world. There the tip leaves of the tea bush looked silvery in color and when cured were wiry in shape. These tip leaves were called by the Chinese !!pak-ho" (meaning silver hair). In the latter part of the nineteenth century, when tea growing had spread extensively to Ceylon and India, tea growers discovered that the color of the tip leaves on the Ceylon and Indian tea bushes was changed by the climate to a slightly more orange shade, so the Ceylon and Indian tip leaves came to be called "Orange Pak-ho." This was soon Anglicized to the term we now have—"Orange Pekoe," which should be pronounced "Peek-o."

The ordinary buyer of tea, when asking for "Orange Pekoe" expects to receive a Ceylon or Indian Black Tea. However, there are so many qualities of "Orange Pekoe" offered to the public, and frequently at bargain prices, that a word of warning is necessary.

Everyone is familiar with the merchant who has perishable fruit and who sells for very low prices the last of the shipment which has lost its freshness, which the merchant wants to be rid of to avoid loss. The same thing applies to tea, which also is very perishable if exposed to the air. When you see cheap tea, it is either very poor quality or else it has lost its freshness and most of its strength, whether this tea is called "Orange Pekoe" or not.

In this age of well-edited newspapers, radios, automobiles and fast trains, accurate knowledge on a great host of subjects is transmitted rapidly. The advance of science has nowhere been more valuable to mankind, except perhaps in preventive medicine, than in the means of protecting the purity and goodness of food stuffs.

Today, in accord with enlightened knowledge, the best tea is always sold in sealed air-tight packages, preserving it from deterioration in flavor and contamination from any outside source. Canadian tea-drinkers are today getting better and purer tea than ever before. The sales of well-blended and carefully packed package teas are constantly increasing as a result of the purity and superiority of these teas being advertised to the public."

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

The Royal Society of Canada will holds its annual meeting in Winnipeg, May 23-26, It was announced by President Prof. A. H. R. Buller. This is the first time the society has convened west of the Great Lakes.

Herbert Swanston, 52, pioneer farmer, four miles north of Welwyn, Sask., was instantly killed about halr a mile from the town when a sleigh load of wheat tipped over him and smothered him.

The complete stamping out of leprosy within the next decade is predicted in the annual report of the British Leprosy Relief Association, by means of a treatment with oil extracted from the dried fruit of the hydnocalpus tree.

Failure to meet the right man is the chief cause of spinsterhood among educated women, says Dr. Katherine Dement Davis, for ten years secretary of the New York bureau of social hygiene. She has just completed a survey of the situation.

Unemployed insurance, national in scope, is recommended in a report submitted to the provincial legislature by the Seasonal Unemployment Commission, headed by Dr. R. W. Murchio, of the Manitoba Agricultural College.

The following appointments in the Royal Canadian Naval Services have been approved, it was announced by the department of national defence: E. P. Shaver, Edmonton, confirmed in the rank of sub-lieutenant, and G. A. Agnew, Saskatoon, confirmed in the rank of sub-lieutenant.

"It doesn't matter; I can come back," he said. "There's probably a train that comes back."

"I'm sorry!" said Icky. "I've made you miss your train!"

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Air Record Broken

All commercial air speed records between London and Paris were broken recently when an Imperial Airways liner covered the 230-mile flight into the French capital in 80 minutes. This is six minutes under the fastest flight previously made in 1921.

WHY TORTURE THE LITTLE ONES

Mothers, do you think it fair to torture your little ones by forcing them to take ill-tasting oils when they need a laxative medicine? Don't you find that the child's dread of these medicines often do more harm than good?

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Life's greatest illusion is that money brings contentment and felicity. Nothing of the kind. It brings responsibilities and worries.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

MARCH 4

JESUS AND THE TWELVE

Golden Text: "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to the whole creation."—Mark 16.15.

Lesson: Mark 1.16-20; 2.13, 14; 3. 13-19; 6.7-13, 30.

Devotional Reading: Romans 12. 1-8.

Explanations and Comments

I. The Choice Of the Twelve, 3.13, 14.—One day Jesus went up the mountain to pray; he continued there all night in prayer, Luke tells us. Then as companions for Himself and as messengers to the people he chose from among all His followers a little company of twelve men. "The number is significant and symbolical, a clear allusion to the tribes of a new Israel. And by that choice of twelve Christ did two things: (1) He made stupendous claim for Himself. Every Jew knew in a moment what the choice of twelve implied. It implied that Jesus was the promised and long expected Messiah. It meant that he was the fulfilment of ancient prophecy. And (2) it provided the apostles themselves with a constant stimulus to devotion and support of faith. It carried their minds back to the promises."—J. D. Jones.

They were ordinary men, these twelve, men from the ordinary ranks of life. Four of them were fishermen, one was a tax-collector. It was the power of the gospel that it built up its mission on the lives of ordinary men, G. K. Chesterton says: It took ordinary men and made of them apostles, missionaries, evangelists, martyrs.

"Jesus found twelve ordinary men and discovered extraordinary capacity in them. They had had little opportunity. He became their opportunity. They did not have a great past. He saw that they could have a great future. He judged them by the spot where the infinite touched them. He lived with them. He talked with them, and then He gave them something to do. He knew that only when listening is turned into action does it become character. He made them heralds of the Kingdom, and they grew in stature even as they announced its coming."—Lynn H. Hough.

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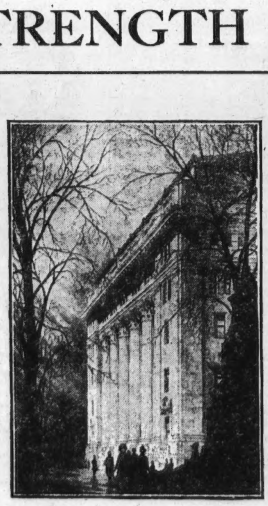
1927	$
ASSURANCES IN FORCE (net)	1,487,990,000
An Increase of $231,500,000	
New Assurances Paid for - -	328,408,000
An Increase of $62,518,000	
Total Income - - - - - -	102,774,000
An Increase of $23,801,000	
Payments to Policyholders and Beneficiaries - - - -	42,224,000
Total Payments Since Organization - - - - - - -	300,040,000
Reserve for Unforeseen Contingencies - - - - -	12,500,000
Surplus over all Liabilities and Contingency Reserve -	45,280,000
An Increase of $11,269,000	
ASSETS at December 31, 1927 - - - - - -	401,305,000
An Increase of $56,054,000	



Dividends to Policyholders increased for eighth successive year.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA

ANSWERS GIVEN TO QUESTIONS ON IMMIGRATION

Ottawa.—A number of questions dealing with immigration were answered in the House of Commons, their range extending from the admission of Asiatics to the cost of transportation from Europe to Canada.

It is shown that from 1921 to 1927 there were 787,408 immigrants arrived in Canada from Great Britain, the continent of Europe and the United States. Of these 361,534 came from the United Kingdom; 249,521 from the continent, and 176,053 from south of the international boundary. The cost to the country for bringing in those immigrants was $7,204,986, of which over 50 per cent. was spent in connection with British immigration.

The figures disclose that the banner year in immigration from the Old Country was that which closed on March 31, 1921, when 74,262 newcomers came to Canada. In the fiscal year, ended March, 1927, the number of foreigners coming into this country from European continental parts was 71,673, a figure that exceeded by 370 the combined totals of British and American immigration during that period.

Since 1923, the year in which the system of assisted passage was adopted, to December 31, 1927, there were 61,267 new settlers brought in, at a cost of $1,534,534.

The answers stated that provision was made under the Canadian Farm Loan Act of 1927 to assist Canadians desirous of settling on the vacant lands of the country.

In the year 1927 there were 94 Chinese admitted to Canada under permit, and of these 40 entered as actors and actresses; four were missionaries and three were teachers. Thirty-five of the 94 had already left the country.

In the same year 493 Japanese entered Canada, distributed in 118 adult males, 277 adult females, and 98 children. The laboring class accounted for 154 of both sexes, while farmers totalled 118 both sexes.

China Hopes For Improvement

People Looking For Better Times During This Year

Canton.—Thankful that the "year of the rabbit" just closed is behind them, the people of China today are hoping for better times under the fiery watch of the mystic dragon now presiding over the current year.

The "year of the rabbit" ended in the midst of crippled domestic trade, curtailed shipments abroad and in general a dreary commercial outlook and Canton and South China ushered in the New Year hopeful but with grave commercial misgivings.

The new lunar year means much to China and her more than four hundred millions of persons. In addition to being practically her only holiday of the year, it is the chief commercial settling day when all accounts of the dying year are "reckoned up and paid."

Wins Quebec Dog Derby

Emile St. Goddard Beats Nearest Competitor By Two Minutes

Quebec. — Emile St. Goddard, musher of The Pas, Man., won the annual international dog derby here by defeating Leonard Seppala in the third day's heat by 2 minutes and 33 seconds.

St. Goddard's time for the 41-mile run was 3:39:07, while Seppala was second in 3:41:40, and Earl Brydges, The Pas, Man., third in 3:42:50.

The total time for the races for the three ways was: 1, St. Goddard, 11:14:17; 2, Seppala, 11:17:30; 3, Brydges, 11:28:25.

Lindbergh Homestead As Memorial

Washington.—A bill to authorize the purchase of the Lindbergh homestead at Little Falls, Minn., as a suitable memorial to the achievements of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, through the sale of medals, has been introduced by Senator Shipstead, Farmer-Labor, Minnesota. A similar measure has been introduced in the house.

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C.P.R Traffic Chief Dead

C. E. E. Ussher Had Been With Railway For 42 Years

Montreal.—C. E. E. Ussher, general passenger traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, died suddenly at his residence in Westmount. He was 71 years of age.

Mr. Ussher was born at Chrysler's farm, Chippewa, Ont., Dec. 29, 1857. He joined the C.P.R. on Nov. 1, 1886 as chief ticket clerk in the passenger department at Montreal.

His rise to executive office was rapid, culminating in his appointment as general passenger traffic manager of the company on Sept. 1, 1922, with jurisdiction over passenger and traffic matters covering rail and steamships on the Atlantic and Pacific and also gave him charge of the entire hotel chain of the company.

Mr. Ussher originally intended to go in for a musical career but owing to force of circumstances entered railroading instead.

He joined the Canadian Pacific Railway when the trans-continental service was inaugurated and was therefore contemporary with the extension of that railway across the continent. He had seen it grow to a world-wide organization, stretching through the Dominion and encircling the globe.

World Cataclysm Predicted

Date Of Commencement Set At May 20 This Year

Ottawa.—If the symbolism of the great pyramid of Egypt are reliable they foreshadow a great cataclysm to commence at midnight of May 20 this year, according to T. R. Ransome, Toronto, organizing secretary for the British Israel Federation of Canada.

Addressing a gathering of Ottawans, Mr. Ransome made it clear that he was uncertain just what form the cataclysm would take, "but if the prophecies of the Bible were indeed the true word of God, and current history was a guide" then he was afraid it was the "war to the end."

New Jail For Manitoba

Will Be Located Where Farming Operations May Be Carried On

Winnipeg.—Manitoba is to have a new provincial jail and prisoners who are sent to it will have to work at farming operations, according to an announcement made by Hon. W. J. Major, Attorney-General, in the Legislature.

The site of the new institution to cost $300,000, has not been selected yet, but the Attorney-General stated that it would be located at a place where farming operations could be carried on in combination with the ordinary prison routine.

NEW CANADIAN PEER

Lord Strathcona and Mount Royal, new Canadian peer, who is a member of the royal commission on India reforms which was greeted by rioting on its arrival in Madras.

Testing Invention For Planes

Illinois Engineer Has Secured Patents For Gasoline Turbine Motor

Chicago.—Assured that three nations including Canada will grant him patents on his gasoline turbine aeroplane motor, R. E. Lasley, engineer, of Libertyville, Ill., is going forward with plans to test his invention on a trans-Atlantic flight. France and the United States already have recognized the patent.

Mr. Lasley said his engine will have a third greater cruising radius for the amount of fuel used than any existing aeroplane engine.

Ready To Sail Earlier

Canadian Destroyers May Be Finished Before March 20

Ottawa.—The Canadian destroyers Vancouver and Champlain, which are being reconditioned at Portsmouth for service in Canadian waters, will probably be ready to sail earlier than March 20 as was originally planned.

This was declared by officials of the department of national defence. The destroyers, formerly the Torbay and the Toreador; are replacing the obsolete Patrician on the Pacific coast and the Patriot, Halifax.

Federal Aid Cancelled

Contributions To Unemployment Relief In Provinces Was War-Time Measure

Ottawa.—Withdrawal of Federal contributions to the provinces for unemployment relief is announced in a letter from Premier King to Premier Bracken, of Manitoba, dated February 20.

The Prime Minister in part says that the policy of the government as set out at the Dominion-Provincial conference was "that such assistance as had been given from the Federal treasury had justification as a war-time measure to meet conditions arising out of the war and the re-establishment of returned men in civil life."

Mr. King continues:

"It was stated at the conference that the justification for Federal assistance in the matter of unemployment on this ground no longer exists. In our opinion other circumstances have not arisen which at the present time justify contributions from the Federal treasury to either the provinces or to municipalities as an assistance in dealing with the problem of unemployment."

The letter was in answer to inquiries from the Manitoba government as to what aid could be expected this year.

London Chimes Travel Nearly Around World

Re-Broadcast In Australia Are Heard In Buffalo, N.Y.

Buffalo, N.Y.—Chimes of Big Ben in London, re-broadcast by Station 2-FC in Sydney, Australia, went on the air over a radio station here.

The evening programme of the Australian station was broadcast by the local stations. After the usual musical programme, the Sydney station picked up the London broadcast and in what is believed to be the first experiment of its kind in the history of radio, chimes in London were heard in Buffalo, after travelling nearly around the world. At one point in the broadcast the Sydney announcer called "Hello, America," and sent greetings from Australia to the people of Western New York.

Some difficulty was had with heavy atmospheric conditions, but after preliminary tests, signals were picked up very clearly.

Increase In Paper Exports

Ottawa.—Canada's total export of newsprint for the 12 months ending January 21, was $124,168,090, as compared with $115,013,128 for the corresponding previous 12 months. The returns were made public by the Dominion bureau of statistics. The total exports of paper and manufactures of paper were $130,570,320 for the last 12 months, and $122,253,320 for the year before.

CONDITIONS MORE FAVORABLE IN LIVESTOCK TRADE

Vancouver.—Conditions now in all branches of the livestock industry are more favorable than at any time in the last seven years, declared R. A. Wright, president of the Western Canada Livestock Union, at the opening session here, of the fifteenth annual convention of the organization. More than 100 delegates from the western provinces were in attendance at the three-day convention. All branches of the industry were represented, as well as the Dominion and Provincial Governments.

"It would appear as though our farmers and ranchers were in for a considerable period of short receipts and better prices," declared Mr. Wright. "Livestock prices compare more favorably with the purchasing power of non-agricultural products than at any time since 1920, which means the purchasing power of livestock during 1927 has recovered almost its pre-war relation to other industries."

Referring to a ten million dollar merger of packing interests last year, the president urged the necessity of an organization of producers to meet the competition of collective buying by selling collectively. During his term as head of the union, Mr. Wright said, he has become more than ever convinced of the necessity of the organization to the livestock industry and it has become recognized by provincial and federal authorities as the mouthpiece of livestock interests.

Established New Air Records

British Aviator Reaches Australia From England In Fifteen Days

London. — Bert Hinkler, British aviator who arrived in Australia Feb. 22, is acclaimed in London as having performed one of the most remarkable feats of flying skill and endurance that has yet been accomplished.

Claims are made that the 15-day flight established five new air records, being the fastest flight between England and Australia; the longest light plane flight ever made; the longest solo flight in any kind of an aeroplane; the fastest journey between England and India, and the first non-stop flight between London and Rome.

It developed that Hinkler was poorer by abput $10,000 than he would have been if he had completed arrangements for a policy with Lloyds which he previously was stated to have taken out. The underwriters said that Hinkler had arranged for a policy of about £2,000 against reaching Australia within 16 days, but for some reason left without completing the negotiations.

The Daily Mail said that the real object of Bert Hinkler's flight to Australia was to test a new undercarriage. This the British flier invented himself and to it he attributed his success in his present flight.

The plane he uses is fitted with folding wings and an undercarriage which swings back when the wings are folded, enabling the flier to house the machine in a garage and making it easy for one man to handle.

Hinkler sent a message to London saying he never had the least assistance in moving the machine since he started.

Auto Racer Near Death

Had Miraculous Escape In Attempt To Set New Speed Record

Daytona Beach, Fla.—Frank Lockhart, internationally known race driver of Indianapolis, narrowly escaped instant death when he lost control of his powerful Stutz Blackhawk Special during an attempt to set a new world's automobile speed record and hurtled with it into the surf while travelling at 225 miles an hour. A superficial examination revealed no obviously serious hurts.

The 25-year-old racer suffered a severe shock but otherwise was not seriously hurt. This was the pronouncement of physicians at the hospital to which he was taken.

A complete examination, the doctors said, showed no broken bones, no internal injuries, and that aside from a few lacerations on his face, Lockhart was suffering principally from shock.

EXPERT MOVERS

Sir John and Lady Martin-Harvey, famous English players of Sabatini's "Scaramouche," who with their company of 25 actors spent only three hours entraining at Halifax from the Cunarder Antonia for their Canadian tour, with hundreds of pounds of dresses, disguises, guns, and what-not to be piled in two 65-foot box cars. No fuss no time lost. A lesson to householders who move in May.

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Auditor's Financial Statement and Returns for the Town of Stony Plain, Alberta, for the Year Ending December 31st. 1927.

Revenue Account, as at Dec. 31, 1927.

To Debenture Redemption	$1339 49	By Tax Levy 1927 (for Municipal Purposes only	$ 3703 00
Grants & aid	100 00	Rents	315 40
Salaries	630 00	Bank interest	10 20
Postage, Printing and Stationery	66 39	Commissions—Supp. Rev.	9 11
Health and Relief	141 70	Arrears of taxes	647 48
Town Property Expense	215 65	School Taxes	432 50
Parks Improvement and Maintenance	74 65	Supp. Rev. Tax (current.	144 75
Fire Equipment (Maintenance	26 50	Supp. Rev. Tax (arrears.	24 87
Electric light pole line	641 96	Land sale receipts	340 25
Taxes remitted by Council re Supp. Rev. to Dept.	95 61	Miscellaneous	130 60
School taxes paid School Board	260 63	Parks Board	23 40
Sidewalks and Street Repairs & construction	731 00		
Athletic association	29 70		
Pound	72 20		
Well	358 20		
Miscellaneous (Rebates & Caveats	18 25		
Balance— Surplus	1029 13		
	5831 56		5831 56

Statement of Municipal Taxes.

Assessments—	Payments—
Land only, valuation $82.820 34 Percentage of value 100	Current 3743 42
Buildings and improvements, valuation $91,425 Percentage of value 50	Arrears 647 48
At 21 mills $4529.10.	Total $4390 90
Amount uncollected at Dec. 31st, 1925—$830.51	Discount 106 09
Penalties and Costs added in 1927 $68.54.	Exemptions & cancellations
Total due $5428.15	Amount uncollected at Dec. 31st, 1927—$931 16

Supplementary Revenue Tax Account.

Assessed value—$82,820	Exemptions & cancellations —
Levy fixed by Equalisation Board 165 98	Amount uncollected at Dec. 31st, 1927—$48.22
Current levy at 2 mills, 165 98	Balance due Dept. from previous years' collections, 38.99.
Amount uncollected at Dec. 31 1926 —$47.54	Total amount paid Dept. during year —$95.61
Penalties added in 1927, 4 31	
Total due 217 83	
Total amount collected during year 1927—169 62	Balance of collections owing Dept. at Dec. 31, 1927, $113

STATEMENT OF DEBENTURE DEBT

Bylaw	Amount	Term	Annual paym't	Amt. redeem'd to date	Bal. outstng Dec. 31, 1927
No. 80	$1500.00	10 yrs.	$213.60	$645.60	$ 854.40
93	1300.00	10 yrs.	185.09	370 18	1480.72
100	3000.90	15 yrs.	329.39	.....	4282.07
107	4500.00	10 yrs.	611.41	611.41	5.502.69
					$12,119.88

Statement of Town Property (Not Enclmbered by Debenture Debt)

Real Estate (Building and Land) at Cost	$4,500
Lands Forfeited for Taxes	...
Fire Apdaratus	4,500
Total as Per Balance Sheet	9.000
Fire Insurance Carried	5,900

Tax Sale Statement.

Number of parcels for which Town holds title—2
Total Taxes and costs owing on land sold—7$37 75

Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1927.

Assets.

Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1927		$509 15
Bank Balance Dec. 31, 1927, Municipal Acct.	$638.95	
Supp. Rev. Tax account,	99.61	
Tax sale trust Acct	.....	
Savings account	717.93	
Total Bank Balance		$456 49
Uncollected taxes		931 16
Uncollected taxes (Sidewalks		3832 80
Concurrent debenture assets— Crossings and Sidewalks		6400 00
Account re lands sold, with int. to drte		503 00
Inventories—		850 00
Tools, Appliances and etc.	450.00	
Office Furniture	200.00	
Fire Hall Furniture	200.00	
Pending Capitalisation by Debenture Issue—		
Electric Light Pole Line		3500 00
Curling Rink		1200 00
Town Property (see List		9000 00
Total Assets		$28,202.60

Liabilities

School District balance at credit	$138 99
Debenture Liability (as above Statement	$12,119 88
Due Dept of Mun. Affairs Supp. Rev. Taxes	113 00
BALANCE SURPLUS ASSETS	15,830.73
	$28,202.60

Net Taxable Assessment $174,245.34 Population 500.

Number of lots or parcels under taxation	412
Number of lots or parcels exempt from taxation	8
Total number of lots or parcels in municipality	420

I hereby certify to the correctness of this Statement.
Dated at Stony Plain, Alta., this 4th day of February, 1928.
GEORGE McLEAN, Auditor; Stony Plain.

MAINTAIN THE QUALITY OF ALBERTA'S CROPS.
Better Seed
means
Better Yields — Better Grades — Better Prices.
A special committee appointed by the Minister of Agriculture, with the co-operation of numerous organizations in the province, is urging the use this spring by farmers throughout the province of
High Quality, Clean, Treated Seed Grain,
in order to reduce the heavy annual losses sustained by sowing inferior seed.

Farmers can co-operate by
1. Using registered seed wherever available.
2. Using at least high quality commercial seed.
3. Having seed tested for germination and purity.
4. Treating seed for smut.
5. Thoroughly cleaning all grain intended for seed.
6. Seeding only varieties of recognized quality and varieties suitable to the district.
Good seed will be in demand this spring. Secure your requirements early—before the supply is exhausted.

U.F.A. Locals, Boards of Trade, The Wheat Pool, Banks, Commercial Grain Firms, The Press, and many other organizations are working in co-operation with a
BETTER SEED COMMITTEE
consisting of representatives of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, the Dominion Seed Branch, the Canadian Seed Growers' Association, the Alberta Seed Growers' Association, the C.P.R. Agricultural Department, and the University of Alberta.
D. A. McCannel, Provincial Publicity Commissioner, Edmonton, Secretary.

Stony Plain Printery
We Print
Posters
Letterheads
Dodgers
Circulars
Shipping Tags

GENERAL NOTICES.

COMET S.D. TRUSTEES
John Eichenloub, (Chairman), Adolf Zutz, Peter Unterschuetz, John Enders, Sec-treas.

SPRUCE GROVE M.D. No. 519.
L. Sinclair, Reeve; Councillors— E C McLaughlin, S C Hagen, A. Lattimer, Dan Giese, T Wudel.

INGA M.D. NO. 520]
Councillors, A E Hopkins, F Kreye, E Tattersall, R C Howat, R Goerz; M McKinlay, Reeve.

The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities)

Sale and Redemption of Impounded Animals.

Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of The Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that 1 Brown Mare, weight 900 pounds, small star on forehead, was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned, located on the SE Qr. Sec. 4. Tp. 52. Rg. 3, west of 5th Mer., on the 2nd day of February, 1928, and that the said animal was sold on the 16th day of February, 1928, to Andrew Brass of Duffield, and that the said animal may be redeemed by the owner or owners or on his or their behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the Municipality and the purchaser of the above-mentioned animals.

For information apply to the undersigned.

E. H. PIDGEON,
Sec.-Treas. of the Municipality of Inga No. 520.
Postoffice, Duffield, ALBERTA.

CHURCH NOTICES.

GLORY HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH
Fred W Benke, Minister.
Sunday 10.30 a.m., Divine service.
11.30 a.m., Sunday school (both services every Sunday)
3 p.m., Young People's meeting, every other Sunday.
7.30 p.m., Gospel Service, every other Sunday.
You Are Welcome.

UNION CHURCH.
REV. W. J. WHELAN, PASTOR.
Services Every Sunday,
Sunday School at 12 M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH.
Rev. E. Eberhardt, Pastor.
Services Every Sunday.

GERMAN REFORMED CHURCH.
C. REPPERT - PASTOR.
Services Every Sunday at 11 am
Sunday school at 10 a.m.

ST. MATTHEW LUTHERAN CHURCH (Manitoba Synod)
Spruce Grove.
Rev. G. Poetzsch, - Pastor.
Services Every Sunday.

ST. JOSEPH'S R.C. CHURCH, SPRUCE GROVE.
Rev. Chas. Keenan.
Services will be held as follows—
1st Sunday in month: Spruce Grove 10 a.m.; Stony Plain 11.30
2d Sunday; Duffield 10.30 a.m.
3d Sunday; Stony Plain 10 a.m; Spruce Grove 11.30
4th Sunday: Carvel 10.30
5th Sunday, Tomahawk.

ST OSWALD'S CHURCH, (Anglican).
Notice will be given when Services are to be held.

Assisted Passages for British Subjects

If you give us their names, your relatives and friends may obtain the low ocean rate of £4, reduced rail-road fares, and FREE transportation for children under 17, providing they are placed in farm or domestic employment.

Ask at once for details of the British Nomination Scheme from any of our offices or agents

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Cunard and Anchor-Donaldson LINES

HALIFAX TORONTO WINNIPEG VANCOUVER CALGARY EDMONTON MONTREAL SASKATOON QUEBEC SAINT JOHN

Has Many Underground Rooms

250,000 In London County Have Ceilings At Street Level

A recent census in one London borough alone reveals the existence of 7,000 basement rooms, of which 1,500 have ceilings at street level and are death-traps, therefore, if floods come. It is estimated that there are 250,000 basement rooms in the County of London.

Of course, not all are used as sleeping apartments, but the majority are habitations for day use and are let to people who cannot yet find other homes. One can scarcely call this condition of things "shameful." It is an unwholesome legacy of the war, and borough authorities, in sheer mercy, are compelled to turn a blind eye to the law until arrears of building, particularly of workmen's dwellings, have been wiped out. They cannot turn the people into the street.

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CHAPTER XIX.—Continued

The Englishman stretched out his arms dramatically. His voice quivered like a violin string. "The British Empire is my country," he said; "I was born beneath the British flag, and so were my people for generations back. I love it. The British Empire is in trouble and has called. I do not reason, I go. It's like your mother calling—would you wait to question if your mother called? If you knew your mother was attacked by a bully would you hang back to see first if she had been to blame in any way—would you? My mother couldn't be wrong—not to me. That's what I mean."

Helmi was coming in from the kitchen with the dessert on her big tray. She paused, arrested by the strange voice speaking with such terrible earnestness.

Bill Larsen had not stopped eating. Empires might rise or fall, but Bill believed in getting his "vittles" while they were hot. "Well no," he said, "I can't say as I feel that way toward any country. It's a case of show me—I'm from Missouri, first, last and all the time."

Helmi watched the Englishman's face. He was staring helplessly at the complacent big giant before him, who serenely buttered a slice of bread on his broad palm as he spoke.

"I ain't so fussy over your old British Empire, anyway," added Bill; "I don't know but I'd just as soon see Germany win."

Arthur Warner, walked over to where Bill sat. His face was white and his eyes very dark. Helmi knew just what was going to happen.

"You cannot insult my country in my presence," he said quietly, and slapped the Swede's face with his open hand.

With a hoarse oath Bill sprang from the table.

Helmi screamed and darted forward, but the Swede's closed fist had already landed with smashing force on the Englishman's face, sending him reeling to the floor.

It was Helmi who was first beside him. "Oh, you big stiff, Bill Larsen," she cried, indignantly, "he only gave you a little slap, but you smash at him like a kicking horse. You're a big bum, Bill Larsen, that's all you are! Maybe you've killed this man, and he's a good man, ready to fight for women and children."

The men were gathered in a knot around the injured man, who lay white and still, his head resting on Helmi's knee.

"Bring me water!" she cried, "and stand back."

Bill Larsen sauntered out jauntily, biting a disk from his plug of chewing tobacco. "No man can slap my face and feel as good as ever right after," he said. "Damn him and his British Empire."

Mrs. McMann was diplomatic. Bill Larsen was a boarder, regular and sure, paid in advance. Besides, he came from the States, and from Nebraska. "Bill, maybe, is too tongues," she said, "but sticks and stones may break your bones, but calling names won't hurt you." The English man struck the first blow, so he will have to take what's comin'."

Arthur Warner certainly did not seem disposed to resist as he lay limp and bleding, his eyes closed, one arm hanging lifeless.

"He'll never never make a soldier if he folds up like that with one knock," said Mrs. McMann scornfully.

"Big Bill hits too hard," said Helmi, bathing the pallid face. "Mr. English only hit a little slap."

The men had gone back to the table, helping themselves from the blue coffee pot on the stove outside. They were satisfied that the Englishman was not seriously hurt. Fights were too common to attract very much attention, particularly at meal-time.

"Well, here's a pretty how-do-you-do, I'll say," said Mrs. McMann, as she began to carry out the dishes. "Let the police hear of this and it gives the house a bad name. And who's to look after the fellow now, supposin' Bill has knocked him cuckoo! I guess maybe he didn't have far to go, but that won't make it easier for Bill."

Bill had come back to the scene of his triumph and now stood leaning against the kitchen door, smoking a tranquil pipe. "Me?" he queried, "Don't worry about me—I always bury my dead!" Bill laughed a little nervously, not feeling quite so unconcerned as he appeared. The face of the Englishman was so corpse-like.

"Well, he can't stay here," said Mrs. McMann, decidedly; "I am providin' meals and beds, but only for well people. This is no 'ospital."

"He can come to my house," said Helmi, "he is a brave man, ready to fight for Canada, and I will take care of him and be glad to do it. He is not a coward, like Big Bill Larsen, who hits like a kicking mule."

"You chuck that gab, Helmy," said Mrs. McMann severely; "it ain't your place to interfere in gentlemen's politics, anyway."

Big Bill regarded Helmi with an angry eye. "Turning against your own country, eh, Helmi," he said to her in Finnish, "you turned me down for Jack Doran, that didn't take long to get tired of you and quit, and now I see you've turned against your own country."

"Canada is my country," Helmi replied, with flashing eyes, "and I would fight for it if I could. I wouldn't hang back like a big coward."

Arthur Warner was not able to leave on the train that day, nor for a week, during which time he was carefully nursed by Helmi and old Sim, the night watchman.

Mrs. McMann discussed the matter in its social aspect with her boarders. "Helmi is a queer girl, but she's goin' to get herself talked about this time, takin' a strange man into her house when her own man is away. I told her—I've warned her all along—but do you think she'd listen? Her and Old Sim are hand in glove, and no one can tell them anything. She says it's her duty to care for a soldier who is goin' out to die for all of us. Well, he don't need to die for me—I'm an American citizen, and I guess Old Glory will always protect me. I wonder what Jack Doran would say if he came home right now? If I know men, and I certainly should, a thing like this will take a lot of explainin'. Poor Mr. McMann would have shot any man whom he found in his house like this. He was so impulsive where I was concerned. He didn't even like to have me left alone with the ice-man. I told him it was nonsense, but nothing could change him!"

But Helmi and her guest were not concerned over public opinion. Strangely enough, neither of them had thought about it. The doctor from Bannerman had set the broken arm, and advised him to lie still until the dizziness in his head had gone.

The time passed pleasantly for Helmi. She was glad to have someone to care for, and "Mr. English," as she called him, was so grateful. When he tried to pay her, Helmi firmly refused to accept anything. "You are a good man," she said, "leaving everything to go to fight for us. I am glad to help you. I wish I could do more."

It came to the last day, and Arthur Warner was sitting in the rocking-chair watching Helmi as she packed his valise. She had taken out his things, washed his shirts and socks, mended them, and pressed his clothes. "By Jove, Helmi!" he said, in admiration, "you are a born nurse, so quiet and capable. They are calling for nurses over there—can't you come along? I have lots of friends there who haven't forgotten me, I am sure, and they would get you in. You are too smart a girl to be just a waitress."

Helmi held up a little garment which she had been making, and quite frankly told him why it was impossible for her to go.

The Englishman apologized humbly.

"Oh, no," said Helmi, "it's all right; I do not mind telling you. No one here knows yet, but I am not sad about it. I am glad, I am only sad about Jack being away."

"I love what you said about your mother," said Helmi after an interval of silence. "You would fight for her, even if she were wrong. No, she couldn't be wrong to you. That is a lovely thing. Do all men feel like that? I would like to have a son who would feel like that for me."

"I think all decent men do feel that way," Warner said simply.

(To Be Continued.)

A Blessing to People of Advanced Years

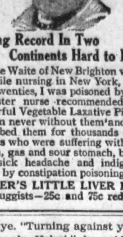
Gin Pills relieve sufferers from kidney and bladder trouble

"I wonder if you really know what a blessing Gin Pills are to people of advanced years.

"I am 72 years of age, and suffered for a considerable time with kidney and bladder trouble. My rest was broken through having to get up in the night three and four times. Later I suffered with pains in the bladder, and my son, who had used Gin Pills for pains in the back and lumbago, bought me a box. Before I had finished it I was relieved of the pains in my bladder and had to get up less frequently. At my age I can scarcely expect to be permanently free from troubles of this kind, but if Gin Pills will give others the relief they have given me, they will be a blessing indeed."

(Name on request.)

Prompt and lasting relief has been found in Gin Pills by thousands of people of advanced years who have had kidney or bladder trouble. If even slightly troubled in this way, get a box today at your druggist's—50c. National Drug & Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, Toronto, Canada. 126



Nursing Record In Two Continents Hard to Equal

Nurse Waite of New Brighton writes: "While nursing in New York, in my early twenties, I was poisoned by food, my sister nurse recommended your wonderful Vegetable Laxative Pills.

"I am never without them and have prescribed them for thousands of my patients who were suffering with indigestion, gas and sour stomach, biliousness, sick headache and indigestion caused by constipation poisoning."

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS
All druggists—25c and 75c red pkgs.

ECZEMA ITCHED AND BURNED

On Arms and Legs Six Years. Cuticura Heals.

"When I was a small boy eczema broke out on my arms and legs in small pimples. As I grew older the eczema became wet and turned very red, and my clothing aggravated it. It itched and burned so that many a night I could not sleep. The trouble continued for six years.

"A friend advised Cuticura Soap and Ointment so I sent for a free sample. I found great relief after using it so purchased a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment which healed me." (Signed) Louis W. Plunz, 7128 Jasper Ave., Edmonton, Alta.

Use Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum for daily toilet purposes.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address Canadian Depot: "Dandelion," Ltd., Montreal. Price, Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Talcum 25c.

Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

RHEUMATIC PEOPLE CAN OBTAIN RELIEF

By Enriching Their Blood With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Rheumatism is a disorder of the blood. It attacks people when the blood is thin and impure, thus setting up inflammation of the muscles and joints. Wet or cold weather may start the pains of rheumatism, but is not the cause. The cause is in the blood. Hot applications or rubbing with liniments may ease the pain, but do not reach the cause and the pains are soon back again. To get rid of this most painful trouble you must treat it through the blood and for this purpose nothing else can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which from first dose to last actually make new, rich blood, thus driving the rheumatic poisons from the system. Mr. Henry E. Amiro, Lower East Pubnico, N.S., tells what these pills did for him. He says:—"I had an attack of acute rheumatism so bad that I could not walk a hundred yards without so much suffering that I would feel faint. I could not do the least work, and any movement caused great pain. I was under the care of a doctor but did not improve much. Then reading of a similar case in a newspaper I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. By the time I had used three boxes, there was no doubt they were helping me. I took altogether about a dozen boxes when I was entirely relieved of the trouble, able to walk four miles to my work, chop wood all day, and then walk home again. To anyone suffering from rheumatism I can strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Trail Riding In the Rockies

There is no place in the Canadian Rockies where trail riding is more enjoyable than in Waterton Lakes National Park, in southern Alberta. Over 150 miles of trails, broad, well-made and so safe that not even the most timorous may feel alarm, are open to the visitor. Nearly a score of trips can be arranged from the townsite of Waterton Park.

One of the most effective vermifuges on the market is Miller's Worm Powders. They will not only clear the stomach and bowels of worms, but will prove a very serviceable medicine for children in regulating the infantile system and maintaining it in a healthy condition. There is nothing in their composition that will injure the most delicate stomach when directions are followed, and they can be given to children in the full assurance that they will utterly destroy all worms.

Shipbuilding In Canada

A total of 395 ships were built in Canada during 1926, according to a report of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. These vessels had an aggregate gross tonnage of 48,395 and a net tonnage of 37,806. British Columbia led in the shipbuilding with 253 vessels to her credit.

Minard's Liniment kills warts.

Clerk—"You say it's not ink in this bottle? Why, certainly it's ink."

Shopper—"Well, it says right here on the label: 'made by the Blank & Blank Company. Not inc.'"

Protect the child from the ravages of worms by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator. It is a standard remedy, and years of use have enhanced its reputation.

Ruth, "Does George know much about his work?"

Agnes: "I think not; he's worked in a packing plant for years and he can't even pack a suitcase."

On fishing trips take Minard's.

Why is Red Rose Tea so fresh and flavory? The answer is that it is a blend of the choicest, juiciest leaves, picked when only ten days old—and sold by your grocer in clean, bright aluminum. No tea can be expected to retain its richness and strength unless packed in this modern metal container—the only package worthy of Red Rose quality. I-W

Jules Verne was born a hundred years ago, and the extravagant fancies that made him a popular writer of fiction have become the sober commonplaces of our everyday life.

WAS VERY WEAK - NERVOUS AND MELANCHOLY

Mrs. Geo. McKenzie, Campbellford, Ont., writes:—"A short time ago I was troubled very bady with my heart and nerves, the cause of it, I think, was my going through the change of life.

"I was very weak and melancholy, and so nervous I could hardly bear to hear a clock ticking, and I did not sleep well.

"I was advised to try

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

so I sent at once for a box; took them and got another, and before they were all gone I felt good, my nerves are fine, I do not mind any noise, and I can sleep well. I cannot recommend them too highly to those suffering as I did."

Price 50c. a box at all druggists and dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Fish bones are being turned into ornaments for women's hats by an English firm.

A Prime Dressing For Wounds.—In some factories and workshops carbolic acid is kept for use in cauterizing wounds and cuts sustained by the workmen. Far better to keep on hand a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. It is just as quick in action and does not scar the skin or burn the flesh.

Bubonic plague killed off one-fourth of the world's population in 1348.

The BABY

No mother in this enlightened age would give her baby something she did not know was perfectly harmless, especially when a few drops of plain Castoria will right a baby's stomach and end almost any little ill. Fretfulness and fever, too; it seems no time until everything is serene.

That's the beauty of Castoria; its gentle influence seems just what is needed. It does all that castor oil might accomplish, without shock to the system. Without the evil taste. It's delicious! Being purely vegetable, you can give it as often as there's a sign of colic; constipation; diarrhea; or need to aid sound, natural sleep.

Just one warning: it is genuine Fletcher's Castoria that physicians recommend. Other preparations may be just as free from all doubtful drugs, but no child of this writer's is going to test them! Besides the book on care and feeding of babies that comes with Fletcher's Castoria is worth its weight in gold.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

CHEVROLET

FURTHER LOW PRICES IN THE NEW IMPROVED CHEVROLET:

Touring . . .	$803	Coach . .	$926
Roadster .	803	Sedan . .	1025
Coupe .	926	Cabriolet .	1025
Imperial -	1081	Roadster Del'y	803

With Bumper and Bumperettes.

Sommerfield & Mayer,

Chevrolet Dealers,

Service Garage, Stony Plain.

ROYAL HOTEL, Stony Plain

PHILIP MILLER, :: PROPRIETOR

TELEPHONE EIGHTEEN.

FIRST CLASS ACCOMMODATION FOR TRAVELLERS. EUROPEAN PLAN.

RESTAURANT IN CONNECTION.

M. D. Elections.

The contests held on Saturday last for the vacancies on Spruce Grove M. D. council proved to be very interesting affairs, but resulted in the three old Councillors being returned to serve on the council.

Mr Adelard Dandenau ran against Theodore Wudel in Div. 3, and received 44 votes to Councillor Wudel's 104, with 13 spoiled ballots.

In Div. 5 Councillor S C Hagen beat Mr Knapp by 195 voses to 77.

In Div. 1, Councillor Lattimer had been reselected unanimously.

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The results in Inga M. D. are—

Div. 2—F H Kreye 80; Jim McDonald 44.

Div. 3—Aiken 55; Bennet 43.

No. 5—Councillor Howat re-elected.

To Penalize Careless Driver

One resolution presented by the Safety League, last week, to the Minister of Justice at Ottawa asks that the Criminal Code be amended so that a person causing an accident and failing to stop be fined $1000 or 12 months in jail, or both, in the discretion of the presiding judge. At present the penalty is $50 fine or 30 days in jail.

Railway Time Table.

Going east—Every morning at 5.43. Mon., Wed., and Sat. at 6.55 a.m.

Going west—Sun., Tues., Friday at 1.29 p.m. Every midnight at 24.24.

Spruce Grove News

Mr Jack Wolsh returned to town on Saturday, after attending the last sad obsequies of a fellow-countryman who had been killed in an accident near Whitecourt.

On Saturday last the Ladies' Aid of the United Church gave a very successful afternoon tea in the church.

Mr MacKean is able to be around again, after being confined to the house for a few days thru an injury to his knee, received from a fall on the ice as he was leaving his residence.

A well-attended whist drive was held on Friday evening at Winterburn Community hall.

Owing to the municipal elections in Spruce Grove M D being held on that day, Mr Miller had his hotel closed all day Saturday.

While coming up the trail just east of town on Monday afternoon, Coombe's truck slipped off the frozen road into the ditch. A nearby farmer's team was required to haul the vehicle back on the road.

Nothing has yet been heard of the whereabouts of the Greek, Tom Leffis, the hired man on the farm of Mr John Kluchias, Winterburn district. Tom left his employer's house on the morning of Feb. 18, but did not take any of his personal effects. He walked out to the Baseline, by Larue's store, and headed for east. It is thought he was picked up by a passing auto and taken to the City.

Len's Fastnacht.

Len hadn't been to a Fastnacht celebration for a number of years, so when he was invited by a friend a week ago to attend one, he accepted. While there he enjoyed himself immensely by disposing of sundry Fastnachtkrabfen, bismarks, bretzels, oelkuchen, mebbe a little hullup chau, etc. etc. etc. and then some. Along about breakfast time next morning he thought he'd strike for home, and cranked up the Lizzie and pushed off; but when he got to the Kulak bridge the Lizzie balked, refused to cross and headed over the side thru the timbers, leaving Len momentarily perched on the north end, about 12 feet from terra firma—or the nearest plank. A lusty call for help brought a rescue party from a nearby house, and Len was taken from his perilous position just in time. No more Fastnachts for Len—not till next year, anyway.

The Market Report.

WHEAT.

No. 1 Northern	1.14
No. 2 Northern	1.05
No. 3 Northern	1.02
No. 4 Northern	0 84

OATS.

2 C. W.	0.47
3 C. W.	.42
Extra 1 Feed	.41
No. 1 Feed	.35
No. 2 Feed	.26

BARLEY.

No. 3	0.63
No. 4	.61
Feed	.60
Rejected	.50

Stony Plain and District.

The music for the dance in Wudel's hall, Friday night, was supplied by the orchestra from the Eidelwiss Club, Edmonton.

There will be R. C. services in the town hall Sunday morning next at 11.30

A phone message to the Police on Monday, from Duffield, reported that a stranger up there was acting queerly. Corp. Moses motored up and took the man into custody. Later he was taken to Edmonton, to be put under observation.

There is the prospect that a boxing tournament will be staged shortly in town, having as the big attraction a "go" between two heavyweights. These two, a Celt and a Teuton, live north of town, and each claims to be the better man of the two. It is intended to run this affair along the proper lines, and will not be connected with any dance.

For the district north of the North Saskatchewan river the season to hunt, trap or kill muskrats opens today.

M Nelligan, who has been farming north of Glory Hills, is today holding an auction sale at his farm.

M M Mecklenburg, the well-known optical specialist, will be at the Royal Hotel, Stony Plain, on Friday, March 9th See him and see well.

Calendar.

March—

6—John B Hodgson's sale, at Brightbank.

9—Mecklenburg at the Royal Hotel.

April—

6—Good Friday

9—Edmonton Spring Livestock Show.

18—District Court holds a session at Stony.

Wolf and Coyote Bounties.

Following are the bounties to be paid on wolves killed in the province:

$20 will be paid for female timber wolves, while male timber wolf pelts will command $10.

Adult prairie wolves taken between April 30 and Sept. 1 will be paid for at $2 a pelt.

Each wolf pup taken before July 1 will command $2.

While prairie wolf and wolf pup pelts upon payment of the bounty become the property of the Provincial Government, timber wolf pelts upon which bounty is paid are to be sold thru the Government's fur market service and the proceeds less the selling commission, will be paid to the person receiving the bounty.

Motor Drivers, Attention

Applications for 1928 motor licenses may be had at The Sun Office.

AUCTION SALE BILLS

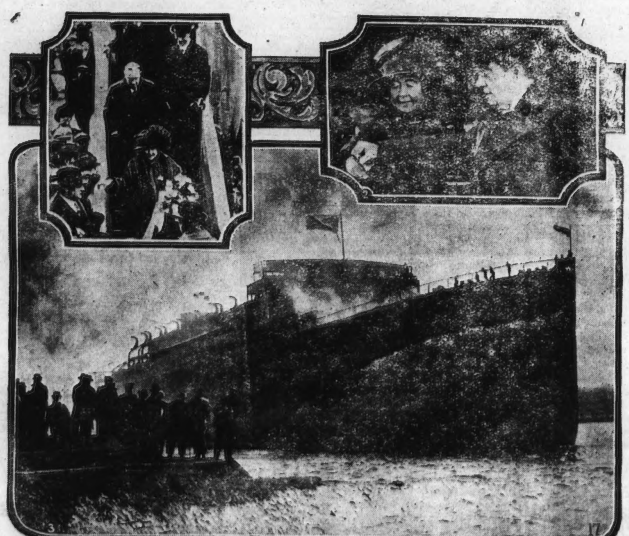
WELL GOT UP AND PRINTED

AND ADVERTISING,

TOO, ARE ESSENTIAL IF YOU WISH YOUR SALE TO BE A SUCCESS. BRING YOUR LIST TO

THE STONY PLAIN SUN

The Launch of "The Duchess of Bedford".



No. 1—Leaving the ship after a thorough inspection. No. 2—Premier Baldwin and his wife about to press the release button
No. 3—The Duchess shortly after taking the water.

In the presence of a monster crowd which thronged the great Glasgow shipyards of John Brown and Co. the "Duchess of Bedford" 21,500 gross tons was launched recently by Mrs. Stanley Baldwin, wife of the Prime Minister. The vessel is one of the four "Duchess" class of steamers under construction for the Canadian Pacific Railway Transatlantic route.

At the launching of the new ship speeches were made by the Prime Minister, Lord Aberconway, Chairman of John Brown and Company, Sir George McLaren Brown, European General Manager of the C. P. R., Captain J. Gilles Manager of the C. P. S. S. and Sir Thomas Bell, Managing Director of the Clydebank Yard.

Premier Baldwin recalled his recent visit to Canada and spoke of this country's wonderful possibilities for a marvellous future. "I am quite confident," he said, "that whatever vision and imagination can do for the Empire at large will be done by the Canadian Pacific Railway."

After cutting the cord from which a bottle of champagne was suspended, Mrs. Baldwin, before touching the button, which was to be the means of the vessel being released, said: "I name you 'Duchess of Bedford'. May God protect and prosper you. May he preserve and bless all those that go forth with you into the known and unknown."

And then, to the accompaniment of tremendous cheering from the large gathering of spectators, the massive structure began to move from the stocks, and gathering impetus as she went, took the water gracefully.